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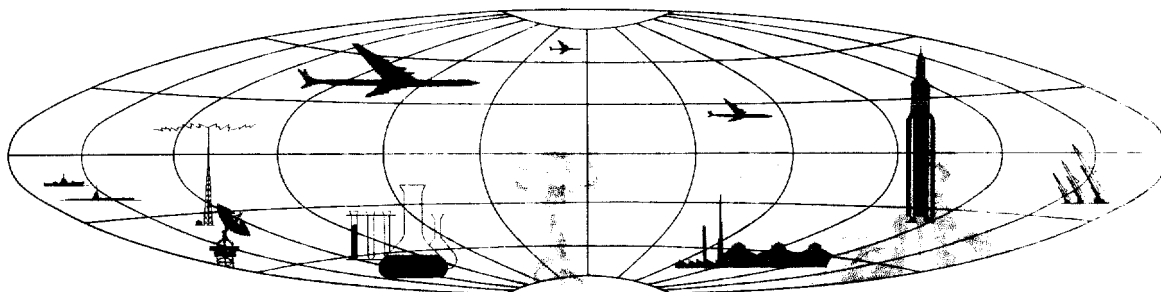
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Titles and letter designators for the various facilities are as follows: (A) railroad service, (B) road service, (C) landing strips, (D) administrative and troop housing areas, (E) storage areas, (F) ammunition storage areas, (G) POL storage areas, (H) other buildings and facilities, (J) equipment storage/maintenance areas, (K) athletic fields, (L) small arms firing ranges, (M) driver training areas, (N) tank/assault gun firing ranges, (P) flat trajectory firing ranges, (Q) artillery emplacements (batteries), (R) infantry or combined arms field training areas or courses, (S) special training facilities, (T) unidentified facilities or tracking activity.

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LENINAKAN ARMY BARRACKS WEST
AND
MILITARY INSTALLATION
LENINAKAN, ARMYANSKAYA SSR, USSR
TRANSCAUCASUS MD

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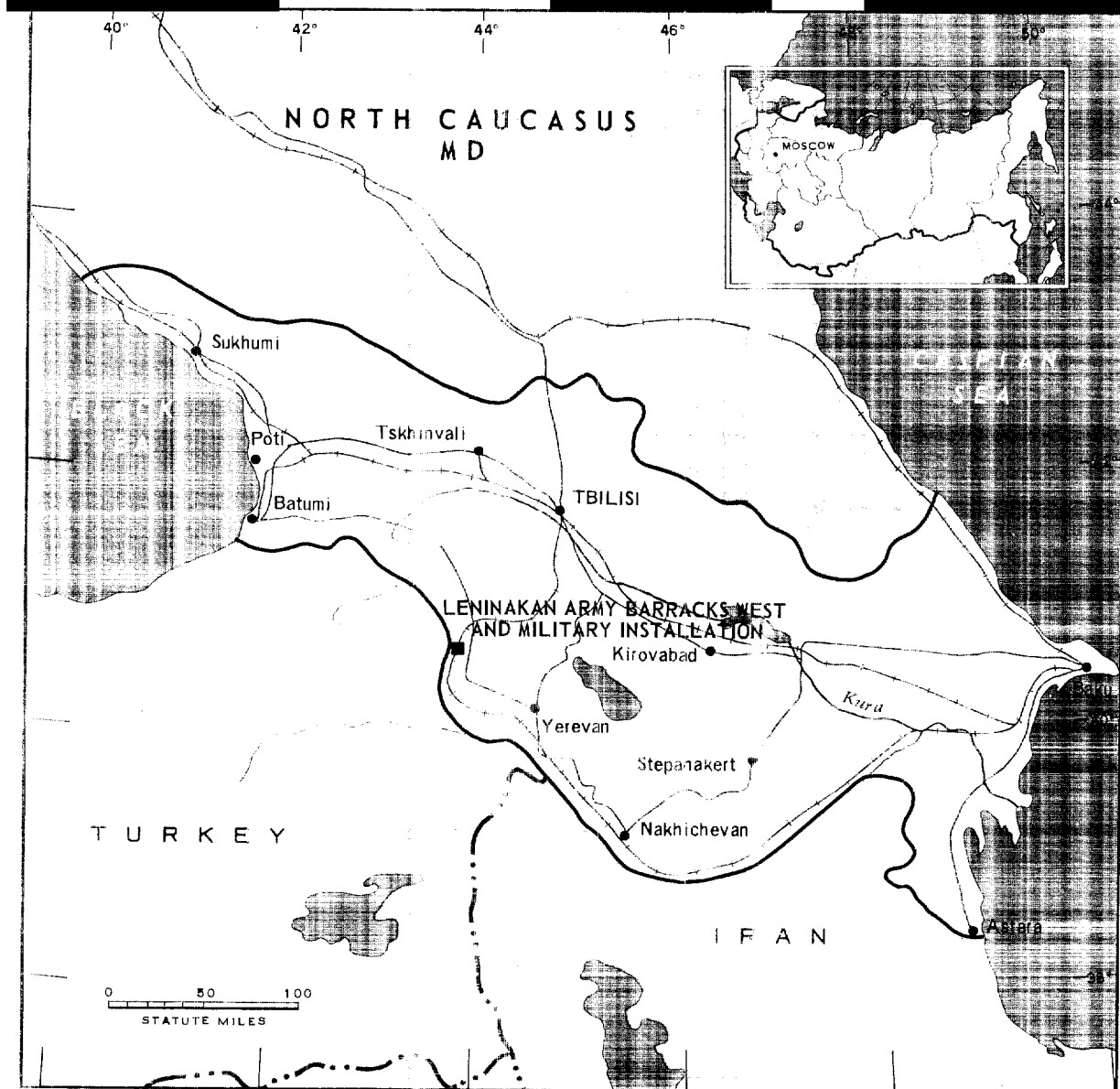


FIGURE 1. LOCATION OF LENINAKAN ARMY BARRACKS WEST AND MILITARY INSTALLATION.

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FIGURE 2. LENINAKAN ARMY BARRACKS WEST AND MILITARY INSTALLATION, LENINAKAN, USSR

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SUMMARY

Two military installations, probably supporting other military facilities in the area, are situated in 2 old forts at the western edge of Leninakan.

The larger of the forts (40-47N 043-49E), previously identified as Leninakan Barracks West [REDACTED] covers 116 acres and comprises 18 barracks, 9 administration buildings, 4 warehouses, 20 miscellaneous support structures, and a former chapel. The installation is apparently a headquarters or a training center.

The military installation within the smaller

fort (40-48N 043-49E) covers 37 acres and contains 2 barracks, 2 administration buildings, 2 miscellaneous support structures, an old watch or water tower, a vehicle repair shop, and a motor park which held approximately 150 vehicles [REDACTED]. The installation probably contributes logistic support to military facilities in the area.

Good, clear photography over this area is limited to [REDACTED] TALENT mission [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] KEYHOLE missions [REDACTED]. No important changes were discernible.

DESCRIPTION OF INSTALLATION

Railroad Service

Rail facilities are available on the east side of town.

Road Service

Internal roads connect with the streets of Leninakan.

Administration and Troop Housing Areas

Area D1 contains 2 multistory barracks, 1 multistory administration building, 2 single-story general support buildings, and 1 watch or water tower.

Area D2 contains 18 multistory barracks, 9 multistory administration, 4 multistory storage, and 20 general support buildings.

Equipment Storage/Maintenance Area

Area J contains one 750- by 600-foot motor park (with approximately 150 vehicles [REDACTED]) one 325- by 65-foot vehicle repair shop, and 1 administration building.

Athletic Field

Area K is an athletic field.

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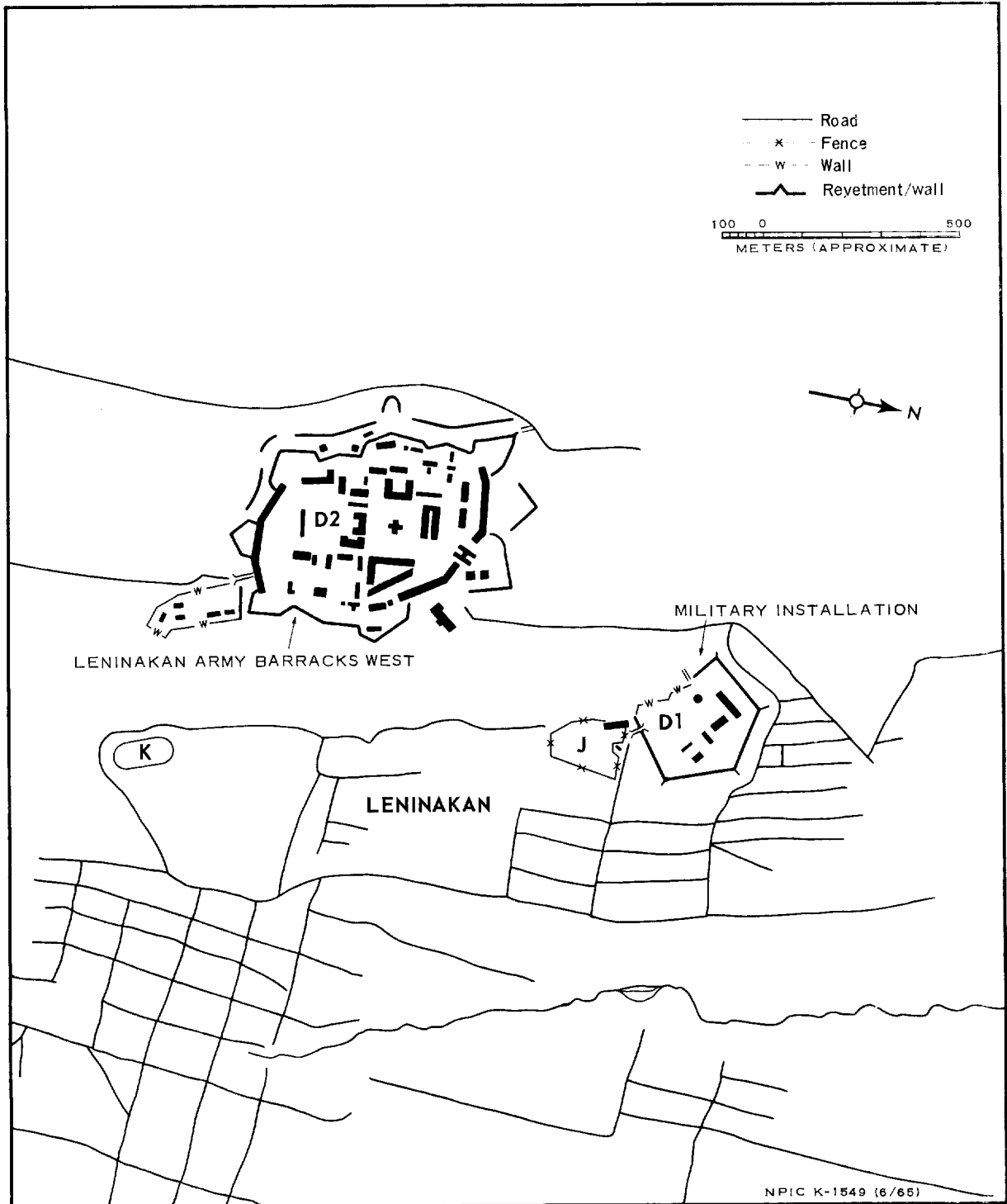


FIGURE 3. LENINAKAN ARMY BARRACKS WEST AND MILITARY INSTALLATION. Sketch compiled from

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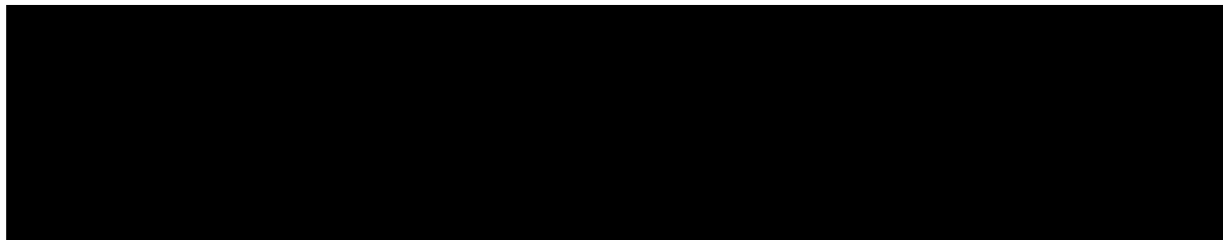
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